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SENATOR WESELY: Two hundred, okay.

SENATOR L. JOHNSON: Two pods of 200, or a total of 400.

SENATOR WESELY: Four hundred, okay, thank you.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Senator Langford, please, followed by Senator Kristensen and Senator Nelson. Senator Langford, please.

SENATOR LANGFORD: Mr. President and colleagues, I have a handout that has all of the material on it. I didn't have it copied because I didn't think everyone would be interested, but if there are any questions we will happily answer them, and should you be interested in looking at what it is going to look like, we even have drawings. So anyone that has any questions... We have one question that did come up. The other dormitories are high-rises. They were finished in '67, the last of them, and they are far more expensive to construct than these two-story pods that are being planned for now. A lot of people said, well, why are you having so many? Because it's cheaper and it also gives a feeling of home to the students. They, psychologically, they have found that students living in smaller dormitories feel more secure, so should anyone want to know what these things look like, I'll be glad to show you, and with that, I just ask your support.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Senator Kristensen, please.

SENATOR KRISTENSEN: Thank you, Mr. President and members of the body, I would rise to support this resolution as well, and with the tremendous amount of growth that Kearney State has incurred in the last number of years, dormitory space has become an absolute essential need and this, through the raising of some bonds and it would allow for the construction of these dormitories, they are state of the art dormitories, something that will become a model, I am sure, for more dormitories not only in this state, but in other areas. Senator Langford does have the plans at her desk and I would encourage you to come over there. They are quite unique and it's an interesting proposal, one that will be not only very physically attractive, but practical as well as much cheaper, and with that, I would rise to support the resolution. Thank you.